PATENT APPLICATION

APIN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q67539

NISHITANI, MASAFUMI, et al.

Appln. No.: 10/000,219

Group Art Unit: 3711

Confirmation No.: 9175

Examiner: DUONG, THANH P

Filed: December 04, 2001

For: GOLF CLUB

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Sir:

An Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 is attached hereto for concurrent filing in the above-identified application. The resulting excess claim fee has been calculated as shown below:

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A check for the statutory fee of \$474.00 is attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fèe, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this letter is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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REQUEST	Application Number	10/000,219						
FOR	Confirmation Number 9175							
CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL	Filing Date	December 04, 2001						
	First Named Inventor	NISHITANI, MASAFUMI						
MAIL STOP RCE Commissioner for Patents	Group Art Unit	3711						
P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450	Examiner Name	DUONG, THANH P						
Subsection (b) of 35 U.S.C. § 132, effective on May 29, 2000,	Matter Number	Q67539						
provides for continued examination of an utility or plant application filed on or after June 8, 1995	Title GOLF CLUB							
This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37	C.F.R. § 1.114 of the abov	ve-identified application.						
1. SUBMISSION REQUIRED UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 a. Previously submitted i. Please enter and consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on ii. Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on iii. Other b. Enclosed i. Amendment/Reply ii. Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s) iii. Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s) iii. Affidavit(s)/Declaration Disclosure Statement (IDS) iv. Petition for Extension of Time v. Other Excess Claim Fee Payment Letter 2. MISCELLANEOUS a. Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of months b. Other								
3. FEES A check for the RCE statutory fee of \$770.00 is attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.								
CORRESPONDEN Direct all correspondence to the address for SUGHRUE MIC WASHINGTON 2337 CUSTOMER N	DN, PLLC filed under the C OFFICE 73	Customer Number listed below:						
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ame Raja Saliba Registration No. 43,078								
Signature Peja Salut Date January 20, 2004								